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SUBJ: OPPOSITION KNESSET MEMBER INQUIRES ABOUT HAIG-MEIR CONVERSATION

1. LIKUD BLOC KNESSET MEMBER YORAM ARIDOR (HERUT PARTY) TELEPHONED EMBOFF NOVEMBER 7 TO INQUIRE WHETHER IT WAS TRUE OR NOT THAT GENERAL HAIG HAD TOLD MRS. MEIR, DURING HER VISIT TO WASHINGTON LAST WEEK, THAT IF ISRAEL DID NOT OPEN UP A CORRIDOR TO THIRD EGYPTIAN ARMY, USG WOULD CUT OFF ITS ARMS

SUPPLIES TO ISRAEL.

2. EMBOFF ANSWERED ARIDOR THAT THERE WAS FULL CONSULTATION GOING ON BETWEEN OUR GOVERNMENTS AND THAT IT WAS OUR POLICY NOT TO COMMENT ON SPECIFIC DETAILS OF THESE OFFICIAL TALKS. EMBOFF OFFERED AS HIS PERSONAL VIEW THAT IT WAS INCONCEIVABLE THAT GENERAL HAIG COULD HAVE MADE SUCH A STATEMENT.

3. IT SEEMS LIKELY THAT EITHER ARIDOR OR ANOTHER MEMBER OF OPPOSITION WILL PURSUE THIS MATTER FURTHER EITHER IN KNESSET OR IN SOME OTHER PUBLIC FORUM.
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